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Docket No.: MFPC.88141

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Walter R. Smith

Group Art Unit: 2191

Serial No. 09/990,527

Examiner: Chih Ching Chow

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action that was mailed on April 6, 2006, which has a period for response that is set to expire on July 6, 2006.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this Amendment.